

MR. OLMSTED NOT BUTTERFLY SORT

Under "Suspicion of His Constituents."

HAD HIS DOG IN CHURCH

Not His Fault and He Is Exonerated, and Will Be Re-elected Representative.

Statesmen who come to be known as "butterfly Congressmen" have a lot to explain to constituents when election times come round. So, on principle, they invariably keep mighty quiet just before a district convention.

It is hard enough to get into such a perplexing position when one has really had all the fun usually attributed to the "butterfly" crowd. But when a dignified, stern-looking member is included in that class through no fault of his own, the case is actually appalling. Almost beyond belief, therefore, was the story that went the rounds recently in the Eighteenth Pennsylvania district, about Representative M. E. Olmsted, just before he succeeded in getting his fifth nomination from that district. Mr. Olmsted has been in Congress so long he is now almost as much a Washingtonian as a Harrisburger. So the story has a good deal of local interest here.

Having proved a most useful member of Congress, Mr. Olmsted has come to be regarded by his constituents as quite the proper pattern for a statesman. Still, as the nominating convention came nearer and nearer, the conservative element kept a close watch on him, to make assurance doubly sure that his popularity here had not spoiled him, while secretly rejoicing that their own estimate of him as a "good fellow" had been so heartily indorsed. The great question of whether he had been a real hard-working member or just a "butterfly Congressman" had been fully settled in his favor and his re-nomination was evidently assured.

Constituents Alarmed.

Then came the sudden blow, that temporarily shook the confidence of some of the less resolute of his supporters. It was a happening that seemed a bad-enough fad, but might there not be others? As a "good fellow" had been the honorable member of Congress trying to establish a new fashion, after some high-falutin notion of the Capital? The news spread far and wide that he had created a great sensation by taking his pet dog to church with him, right into his pew in the sacred edifice.

Inquiry proved the story true. Just as the procession hymn was begun Representative Olmsted walked briskly up the aisle. Mrs. Olmsted and her two children had already taken places in the pew and the Representative had hurried from his home to join them before the service began. In his haste he did not notice that his favorite dog was following him.

Pet Attracts Attention.

Straight up the aisle to his pew, well in front, walked the dignified legislator, with the pet prancing at his heels, until he reached the supposed destination, which allowed him to attend the services. Mr. Olmsted sat down without noticing the dog's presence, while the animal climbed with his forefeet upon the pew behind and proceeded to size up the congregation.

Some one tapped Mr. Olmsted on the shoulder and told him of the dog's presence. The amazed member of Congress started to the door, beckoning the animal to follow, but the collar by that time had become absorbed in the ringing of the choir, and was looking the other way.

The dog continued his devotions until out of the children's religion, and the dog by the ear into the street and ordered him home. Then Mr. Olmsted gave a sigh of relief, suppressed an impatient smile, and devoted himself to the church service.

Constituents promptly reassured themselves that their reverent and much-admired Representative was entirely innocent of any intention to force any "high society jitters" on them, and his election seems as sure as was his nomination for a fifth term.

ATTENDS THE FUNERAL OF RIVAL CANDIDATE

PAWTUCKET, R. I., Oct. 12.—Governor Garvin, Mayor Higgins, with representatives of the State and city governments, attended the funeral of Henry B. Metcalf, the prohibitionist candidate for governor, which was held in the Universalist Church yesterday. After the church services the body was taken to Boston for interment.

WHOLE ESTATE WILL GO TO BUY FIREWORKS

BOZEMAN, Mon., Oct. 12.—The district court has admitted the will of J. N. Tilton to probate. The income from the estate will, in accordance with the provisions of the will, be used for the adequate celebration of the Fourth of July in this city.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

John P. Thompson, 22, and Annetta Reppitz, 20.
Charles H. Fredericks, 27, District of Columbia, and Loretta A. St. John, 23.
Arthur G. Cole, 24, and Jennie H. Graham, 24.
John H. Berry, 25, and Ida Briscoe, 24.
Daniel P. Foley, 27, Ranoke, Va., and Mildred D. Lamborn, 20, District of Columbia.
William Jackson, 29, and Frances Simmons, 30.
Lewis Lundy, 27, and Anna Newman, 25.
Robert L. Dove, 21, and Monterey McN. Runyon, 18, both of Bailey's Cross Roads, Va.
Percy E. Harding, 24, and Julia J. Sullivan, 24.
Aaron Johnson, 38, and Frances Butler, 20.
Alonzo L. Martin, 30, Grassland, Va., and Phillipa M. Pandree, 20, Mason's, Va.
Edward Smith, 30, and Jane Montgomery, 24.
Willie E. Rector, 24, and Nettie I. Weddon, 20.
Lud Carter, 27, and Dora Gray, 19, both of Fauquier county, Va.
Robert A. Smoot, 50, Alexandria, Va., and Lizzie Crux, 36, Fairfax, Va.
Wallace Malcolm, 25, Baltimore, Md., and Ida Little Stevens, 23.
Adam Ehlshlager, 33, and Elizabeth S. Sauer, 21.
John O'Neill, 45, Santa McAllister, I. T., and Marie L. Bregazzi, 36.
Lewis Lindsey, 25, and Lee Allen, 20.

Priest Charges Graft On Indian Reservation

Father Schnell Accuses Commissioner Jones of Insincerity in Making Investigation—Intimates Case May Be Carried to President.

OMAHA, Neb., Oct. 12.—A dispatch from the Winnebago Indian reservation in Nebraska says that an official investigation as to the charge preferred by Father Joseph Schnell, representing Mother Ernest of Philadelphia, that the Winnebago Indians have been robbed and otherwise ill-treated by money sharks and land speculators, has been begun there.

Father Schnell openly challenged the good faith of E. O. Wright, who was sent out by Indian Commissioner Jones

to conduct the investigation. The priest imputed to him a desire to whitewash Jones rather than to benefit the Indians.

Father Schnell declares that the wrongs of the Indians must be righted, and that if Commissioner Jones does not do his full duty he will go over his head and take the matter to President Roosevelt. He alleged in an address that Commissioner Jones, before he sent out Mr. Wright, took pains to give the alleged grafters a tip of what he was going to do in order to afford them an opportunity to cover up the evidence of their guilt.

WILL UNVEIL STATUE TO FREDERICK THE GREAT

Baroness Speck von Sternburg Will Draw the Cords—President Roosevelt Will Make Address.

The Baroness Speck von Sternburg, the German ambassador, will unveil the statue of Frederick the Great which will be formally presented to the United States by the German ambassador on behalf of the Emperor on November 19. The new statue will be placed in the esplanade at the War College, and the unveiling will take place at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

President Roosevelt, the members of the Cabinet, and the Supreme Court, the Admiral of the Navy, and Chief of Staff of the Army, and members of the Diplomatic Corps will take part in the ceremonies. Announcement was made last night of the program for the unveiling. An army chaplain will open the ceremonies with prayer. The German ambassador, who is an American woman, will then pull the cords which will free the bronze statue of its draperies of flags, and the German ambassador will make the presentation speech.

President Roosevelt will then make the chief address of the afternoon, and will be followed by Secretary Taft, who will speak on behalf of the army. The Marine Band will play German and American airs between the addresses.

The unveiling ceremony will be held in the White House grounds. It will be brought to Washington in a short time and erected in the Army War College Esplanade at Washington Barracks.

VARSITY TO HAVE NIGHT CAPE.

CHICAGO, Oct. 12.—Chicago University will establish a night cape. Its object is to keep students from the saloons.

ELECTRIC ALARM BELLS AT B. & O. CROSSING

Commissioners Demand Them—Railway Officials Deny They Are Needed.

In an endeavor to compel the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company to observe all precautions possible against accidents to the people of the District, the District Engineer Department is now engaged in voluminous correspondence with C. W. Galloway, Superintendent of the Baltimore division of the Baltimore and Ohio road.

The contention of the District officials is that, in order to preserve the life and limbs of the residents in the vicinity of Fourth and I Streets northeast, the railroad company ought to install at that point of danger electric alarm bells to warn people of the approach of the railroad trains.

Mr. Galloway denies the necessity for such a precaution, claiming that, as a watchman is stationed at that point, no further safety methods are needed.

ENTIRE NEGRO VOTE ASSURED TO PRESIDENT

Dr. Ernest Lyman, minister to Liberia, and Harry S. Cummings, the negro lawyer of Baltimore, who seconded President Roosevelt's nomination at Chicago, will take a prominent part in the campaign. They called at the White House yesterday and told the President that every negro vote in the United States would be cast for him because the Democrats had injected the race issue into the campaign.

LIBRARY BARS RIIS' BIOGRAPHY

"Life of Roosevelt" a Political Work.

THE TRUSTEES RULE IT OUT

Not Wanted in University for the People Out in Iowa.

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Iowa, Oct. 12.—On the ground that it is a political work, Jacob Riis' "Life of Roosevelt" has been excluded by the trustees of the public library, who were engaged in the revision of a list of books to fill the shelves of the new Carnegie building.

The list under consideration has been prepared by the librarian, who urges that there had been many calls for the work. The question was raised by a Republican trustee who asked the question: "What do you Democratic members think of this book?"

Mr. Binder, a trustee, replied: "If you put in that way, I say throw it out of the window. We cannot afford to buy political works for this library." The book was thrown out.

COMMISSION PROBING BELGIUM IN THE CONGO

Baron Moncheur, the Belgian minister, states that an international commission is already investigating the charges of cruelty in the Congo Free State.

The commission which was appointed in July consists of Mr. Janssen, assistant attorney general on the criminal side of the supreme court of Belgium; Baron Nisco, an Italian, who is the chief justice of the court of appeals of the Congo Free State; and Dr. von Schumacher, chief of the department of justice of the canton of Lausanne, Switzerland.

President Roosevelt has decided not to involve this country in the investigation, and in view of the fact that a commission is already at work, this decision is no more than courtesy to the Belgian government.

UNDERWRITERS PROBE LOSSES IN PROVIDENCE

PROVIDENCE, Oct. 12.—As a result of recent numerous fires of alleged incendiary origin in this city, Edward L. Walker, of New York, and two assistants of the corps of engineers of the National Board of Fire Underwriters, are here to investigate fire and water losses.

Several insurance companies have complained in a notification made through the board of underwriters, that in the last month or two they have lost more than their annual premium receipts. Local agents expect that some decisive action may be taken at the annual convention of the board of underwriters at Indianapolis this week in regard to insurance protection in Providence.

Spanking for Criminals Best Punishment Going

Connecticut Selectman Convinced That Some Wrongdoers, More Brute Than Human, Can Best Be Reached With the Lash.

HARTFORD, Conn., Oct. 12.—A. M. Lewis, selectman of Southington, advocated at the annual session of the State Association of Selectmen and Boards of Charities in this city the whipping of criminals.

During his many years of service as selectman, he said, he had been convinced that there are men who were more brute than human, and for whom jail or State prison is too good.

Not Too Cruel.

He realized, he said, that the whipping post was a harsh institution, but he knew that there were men for whom nothing was too cruel. He told of one man who laughed when sent to jail and who, when asked what should be done with his children, laughed and said: "Oh, I don't care; kill them if you want to."

PLUMBERS' UNION DROPS SOLDIER FROM ROLL

Lieutenant in California National Guard Expelled Because Members Are Not Allowed to Enlist.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Oct. 12.—First Lieut. C. F. Tichbourne, of Company B, Seventh Regiment, National Guard of California, has been dropped from the rolls of Journeymen Plumbers' Association No. 1 of this city, because he refused to withdraw from the regiment.

The association's action is the result of a long controversy over the question whether the rule of the plumbers' national body, with which the local association is allied, forbidding members to enlist in the National Guard, applied to Lieutenants Tichbourne as an officer.

The association finally decided that it did and expelled him. This is the first case of the kind in California and is likely to lead to trouble, as the National Guard will take the part of the officer who has been removed from his union because of loyalty to his regiment.

WOMAN IS ACQUITTED ON CHARGE OF MURDER

NEWPORT, Vt., Oct. 12.—Mrs. Rose Ostrout was acquitted of murder in the death of Amelia Hoyt, after an all night session of the jury. Mrs. Ostrout was accused of having abused Mrs. Hoyt, whom the overseers of the poor had placed with her to board, causing her death.

ESCAPES FROM INSANE ASYLUM

Patient Removes Iron Bars From Window.

USES ROPE OF BED CLOTHING

Slides Down to Ground Forty Feet and Succeeds in Getting Away.

Walks Five Miles.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Oct. 12.—By means of an improvised rope, made from strips of bed clothing, Arthur Neil, twenty-four years old, of Batesville, Ark., who is a son of an Arkansas Representative in Congress, made a sensational escape from St. Vincent's Asylum, in St. Louis county.

He walked five miles into this city, where he was taken in charge by friends. He is now in the City Hospital observation ward.

Neil, who has been in the institution for some time for treatment, occupied a room on the third floor. Iron bars were fastened over the window.

Neil removed two of these bars with tools he had made from shoe shanks and a large screw. After removing the bars, Neil firmly fastened his improvised rope and slid down thirty feet.

When he reached the end of the rope he was still ten feet from the ground. He then dropped to the soft earth. Neil made sensational charges against certain members of his family. He is a lawyer.

ELOPES WITH WOMAN ON RELEASE FROM PRISON

RICHMOND, Va., Oct. 12.—Governor Montague has made a requisition on the governor of Maryland for W. F. Irwin, who was sent to the penitentiary from Fairfax county in 1901 for stealing a pair of mules.

He was sentenced for five years, but was granted a conditional pardon some months ago. Though he had a wife in Fairfax county, it is alleged that soon after he was released from prison he eloped to Baltimore with a married woman, and that the latter took with her her infant child.

GASOLINE HE CARRIED EXPLODED IN HIS ARMS

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 12.—While Otto Geggheim, of 1234 Howard Street, was carrying a demijohn of gasoline into his house some person threw a lighted match into it.

The gasoline exploded and set fire to the house and Geggheim was seriously burned about the face and body. The flames were quickly extinguished and Geggheim was sent to St. Mary's Hospital.

Ask to Be Shown The New Charlotte Corday Shapes.

Hats Trimmed Free!

\$1 and \$1.25 Umbrellas, 75c

Two hundred Ladies' and Men's 26 and 28-inch Gloria Silk Umbrellas. The men's have silk covers and tassels to match. The ladies' have fancy and plain handles, elegantly finished. These are our regular \$1 and \$1.25 Umbrellas. Special, 75c.

Double Trading Stamps!

\$5 Silk Waists, \$2.95

Black taffeta silk waists. Ten dozen of them only. A purchase. Tucked fronts, full puff sleeves, plain blouse or tight fitting back. Regular \$5 waists everywhere—sale price, \$2.95.

Home Needs.

Oak and cherry curtain poles; sold at 5c. Special tomorrow at 27c.

Lot of Nottingham lace curtains; 3 yards long; worth \$1.50—will go tomorrow at 88c.

Tapestry Table Covers; pretty shades of red, green, etc.; 69c.

Lot of double bed sheets; Martell patterns; worth a dollar—will go tomorrow 69c.

50c Kimonos at 25c

Fifty dozen Kimonos in pretty bright effects; Dresden and Persian patterns, with contrasting borders of plain domet flannel; worth 50c—special, 25c.

Ready-to-wear Hat Sale.

\$1.50 Ready-to-wear Hats 95c

We have tried hard to make this hat value. Seldom has a good ready-to-wear hat been seen at such a price. It represents the special efforts of our own workrooms, and a careful search of maker's headquarters by our buyer.

Wide brim, large, round crown sailor effects, with pleated velvet trimming around crown; also velvet sailor effects with fold and buckle; also walking turban effects, in draped felt, trimmed with quill, velvet, and buckle; also large sailor shapes with genuine kid crown, finished with velvet band and buckle. Worth up to \$1.50. Special, 95c.

Lot of Ready-to-wear Hats, comprising all the latest styles and shapes. The New Sailors, the New Turbans, the New Flare shapes, all trimmed in the latest styles, with velvets, silks, fancy plume breasts, draped cloths, leather buckles, and quills. Whites, blacks, and colors. Worth \$2 and \$2.50. Special **\$1.69**

Extra quality Scratch Felt Hats, in medium, large, and small shapes; they are felt bound and ready for trimming; blacks, browns, and blues. Sold elsewhere at a dollar. Special **47c**

A special lot of Misses' and Children's Trimmed Sailors, square crowns and over-crowns, in all colors, that are worth 75c and \$1.00 anywhere. Special **48c**

Need a trimmed hat? We call your attention to our hat for \$4.95. They are worthy of their position in this store, where only good millinery abides. We've invaded New York markets—copied foreign high-art creations, and designed novelties in our own workrooms. The colorings are simply marvelous. Others ask \$7, \$8, and \$9 for same materials and not half the style. A leader at **\$4.95**

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Domestics.

Lot of checked nainsook, regularly sells at 8c. Special 57c.

Silkline in all colors; pretty floral and Oriental patterns; suitable for draperies; sold at \$1.24c. Special **82c**

Fifty pieces of Outing Flannel; pretty stripes and checks; worth 10c. Special at **71c**

Short lengths of bleached muslin; 36 inches wide; worth 10c. Special tomorrow **62c**

9c Has Double Purchasing Power Tomorrow--For

YOU CAN BUY spangled lace jetted collars on fine foulle net; pretty applique designs, with spangled beading; worth 19c—tomorrow **9c**

YOU CAN BUY silk crushed and girdled belts; new shades of brown, green, navy, black, and white; worth always 19c—tomorrow at **9c**

YOU CAN BUY heavy corded shopping bags, with covered handles, very strong and extra large size; usually sold at 19c—tomorrow special **9c**

YOU CAN BUY new mesh veils, fancy and plain Tuxedo meshes; chenille spots; brown, navy, white, and black; worth 19c a yard, at **9c**

YOU CAN BUY best makes in extracts, white rose, Jockey Club, crab apple blossom, violet, and heliotrope; 1 oz. 9c tomorrow for **9c**

YOU CAN BUY torchon laces in a new line of pretty patterns; match sets, large assortment of widths and choice patterns, usually 5c a yard—three yards for **9c**

YOU CAN BUY Renaissance or galon lace, in leaf, scroll, and medallion patterns; cream and butter; worth 10c a yard—three yards for **9c**

YOU CAN BUY Rolled plated gold dress pins, plain and chased designs; also turquoise and crescent sets of two; worth 25c—tomorrow **9c**

Three Days of Terrific Selling Voices the Public's Approval of Our Suit Sale.

\$10 and \$12.50 New Fall Cloth Suits, \$7.95

Black and Blue Melton Cloth, Gray and Brown Novelty Cloth Tourist and Tight-fitting styles; strap seams; some braid trimmed; full sleeves; kilt skirts; full flares; all sizes for ladies and misses; worth \$10 to \$12.50; at \$7.95.

\$20 and \$22.50 Cloth Suits . . . \$11.95

Fall suits in cheviot, French and Scotch mixtures, worsteds and coverts, fitted and loose backs, also Tourist effects. Some double-breasted styles, also 27, 30, and 42-inch jackets, some taffeta, velvet, and braid trimmed. The skirts are 7 and 9-gored, some tucked, all strictly tailor finished; worth \$20 and \$22.50—special at \$11.95.

Our Skirt Sale.

\$4.00 Skirts, \$1.95.

Lot of Black and Blue Walking Skirts; full flare, trimmed with strap and buttons; strictly tailor-made; also Misses' Skirts, in gray, black, blue, and novelties; worth \$4. Sale price, \$1.95.

\$7.00 Skirts \$3.95.

Lot of Cheviot, Covert, and Novelty Skirts; full pleated, high kilt, some trimmed, some strictly tailor finish. Blacks, blues, browns, and novelties. Some worth \$6; others \$7. Sale price, \$3.95.

Waists and Wrappers.

50 dozen domet flannel waists, pleated front to the bust lined, with fancy buttons; all sizes; worth 75c. Special **39c**

Stylish plain Mohair waists, with tailored stitched pleats to the bust line, with silk buttons; all sizes and colors, including white and black; worth \$1.50. Special **98c**

Odds and ends in percale wrappers; nearly all sizes; an odd wrapper here and there, trimmed waist with ruffles around bottom, remnants of \$1.00 and \$1.50 wrappers. Special **59c**

Corset Specials.

Odds and ends in W. B. and R. and G. Corsets; the retail prices everywhere at \$1 and \$1.50—less than wholesale while they last **49c**

Fifty dozen jean corsets; well boned; well made and perfect fitting; they sell everywhere at 50 cents. Special to **25c**

Underskirts Under Price.

Accordion pleated ruffle underskirts; pleating to the knee, with small ruffle at bottom. This skirt is made of black mercerized luster silk, and sold everywhere at a dollar. Special at **49c**

Lot of gingham underskirts, with wide ruffles, finished with small ruffle; sold at 59c elsewhere. Special at **37c**

Undermuslins.

Lot of slightly soiled cambric corset covers; French style, trimmed elaborately in lace and embroidery; nearly all sizes; sold at 25c. Special at **12½c**

Lot of muslin umbrella drawers; cambric ruffles, finished with torchon lace; worth 25c. Special at **15c**

Fifty dozen cambric gowns; yokes of fine tucks and Swiss embroidery; worth 75c. Special tomorrow **50c**

Millinery Trimmings.

Military Pompons in black, blue, brown, green, white, and the new Coque de Rouché; very full. Worth half a dollar. Special **25c**

French Curl Ostrich Plumes, with full large heads; 14 to 17 inches long; blacks or whites; worth \$2.50. Special **\$1.69**

\$1.50 Ostrich Plumes 75c

Half price tomorrow for a handsome lot of French Amazon style and elegant French Plumes; they are long, black, and measure full 15 inches, and have large, drooping heads. Always everywhere \$1.50—here **75c**

Lot of Taffeta Ribbons, in 3 to 5-inch widths; all popular shades—Green Ticket Day **10c**

Changeable Taffeta Ribbons, in 5-inch width; all colors and variegated shades; a 25c ribbon—Green Ticket Day at **17c**

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